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## Report of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development

**Scrutiny Board (Adult Social Care)** 

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> June 2009

**Subject: Executive Board Referral** 

Electoral Wards Affected:	Specific Implications For:
	Equality and Diversity
	Community Cohesion
Ward Members consulted (referred to in report)	Narrowing the Gap

## 1.0 BACKGROUND

- On the 13<sup>th</sup> May 2009 the Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods submitted a report to the Executive Board in response to the recommendations from the Scrutiny Board (City and Regional Partnerships) with regard to the role of the voluntary, community and faith sectors in Council led community engagement.
- 1.2 Executive Board resolved that the Scrutiny Board (City and Regional Partnerships) inquiry report into the role of the voluntary, community and faith sectors in Council led community engagement be referred to Scrutiny Board (Children's Services) and Scrutiny Board (Adult Social Care) for consideration, with a further report being submitted to Executive Board in due course.
- 1.3 Information relating to the scope of the inquiry is attached as appendix 1.
- 1.4 The Inquiry report into the Role of the Voluntary, Community and Faith Sector (VCFS) in Council Led Community Engagement is attached as appendix 2.
- 1.5 The response by the Director of Environment and Neighbourhoods to the City and Regional Partnerships Inquiry is attached as appendix 3.

## 2 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 The Adult Social Care Scrutiny Board is asked to consider the Inquiry Report in accordance with the Executive Boards referral and agree any comments to be fed back.

## 3 BACKGROUND PAPERS

Executive Board minutes – 13 May 2009